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J. F. DAY BUYS

PUREBRED HERD.

J. F. Day, of Willowdale, one of our most prominent farmers, has purchased the entire herd of purebred Friesian cattle belonging to the late John Northey. The herd, which is a very fine one, consists mostly of females and numbers twenty-three head, for which a big figure was paid. It is very pleasing to know that this herd is staying in the vicinity of Red Deer, and we congratulate Mr. Day on his enterprise.

25 per cent. off all watches at Humber's sale.

### FATAL ACCIDENT

Geo. Walters met with a fatal accident on the farm of C. A. Julian Sharran about noon on Saturday last. It appears that the deceased was working around the barn and slipped at the entrance, striking his head against the floor, fracturing the skull. He was brought to the Memorial Hospital in an unconscious state, and died on Sunday morning from coma, caused through laceration of the brain. The deceased was an Englishman, about thirty years of age, and came here from Telford about nine months ago. As far as is known he was single, and an upright, temperate man. It is supposed that the deceased took a fainting fit and fell, without any attempt to save himself. The funeral will be in the thirteenth part, just back of the temple. Dr. George acquired into the matter, but did not consider it necessary to let his friends know. Mr. Sharran took charge of the goods of the young man, which have been handed over to the public administrator. The funeral will be yesterday morning to the Red Deer cemetery.

### George Berwick Killed

The almost instantaneous death of George Berwick, a citizen of Red Deer, while at work on the new bridge crossing the Medicine River, on Friday last, came as a great shock to his wife and friends. The deceased, who is a married man, had been working on the bridge for a considerable time, and had not seen his family for the past two months. He was a steady, persevering man, and last year worked for the City Council. The bridge on which the accident took place is being built across the Medicine River between Secs. 23 and 28, township 41, range 4, west of the 5th, about one mile west of the Bradshaw cemetery, and about forty-five miles from Red Deer. It appears from information received that while a load was being lifted by the boom of the derrick an iron ring through which the boom passes broke, and the boom fell, striking the deceased on the head, fracturing the skull, and knocking him into the river. He was picked up by some of his fellow workmen and carried to his boarding house, about a mile away, and Dr. Hanes, of Lacombe, was sent for, but on arrival he found life extinct. Dr. Hanes tried to notify the Lacombe coroner, who was away from home, and so the body was brought to Red Deer and placed in Stone's undertaking parlors, and Dr. George, coroner of this district, notified.

Dr. George empanelled a jury on Monday, with William Piper as foreman, who viewed the body, the inquest then being adjourned until Thursday to allow a post mortem to take place and witnesses to be brought in.

### PENHOLD RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

The first shoot of the Penhold Rifle Association took place on the western range, Monday, May 25th. There was a good turnout of shooters, and some very good scores were made by the marksmen. The following is the score:

	Yds	Yds	Yds	Total
Walt. Whiteside	30	30	29	89
H. Kennings	28	31	28	87
T. Kennings	29	30	31	90
T. Hives	29	27	29	85
J. Reeves	29	31	24	84
J. Hives	30	27	24	81
W. Whiteside	27	27	26	80
E. Reeves	29	29	22	71
W. Kennings	25	29	13	67
B. Whiteside	24	23	19	66
J. Brown	25	12	19	56
T. Weaver	24	16	19	59
W. Egler	23	18	12	53
W. Walters	20	25	7	52
A. W. Walker	25	15	10	50
A. Reeves	24	21	5	50
A. Weaver	17	12	13	42
T. Hives	18	20	38	38

### WEDDING BELLS.

A very pretty and interesting ceremony took place at St. Luke's church on Wednesday, May 27th, when the Rev. C. W. G. Moore united in marriage J. C. Jones and Miss Clara Barker. The young couple are very well known in the city, and have quite a host of friends. Miss Barker is the daughter of William and Marie Barker, of Lilling, Yorkshire, England, and came here five years ago, while Mr. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, of Rutland, North Wales, and came here about eight years ago, and has for some years past been head man for C. A. Julian Sharran.

The bride looked very pretty, dressed in dark blue travelling costume with hat to match, and was supported by Mrs. Evan Roberts, and given away by Mr. Evan Roberts. The groom's best man was Eddie Roberts. Quite a number of friends witnessed the ceremony, among them being Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Julian Sharran, who sat down to a very dainty wedding breakfast, served at the home of Mrs. Evan Roberts. The happy couple left on the noon train for south, and on their return will make their home in Red Deer.

### RED DEER PUBLIC MARKET.

There was quite an increase of sales at the local market on Thursday last, and a greater variety of produce than has been on sale in the previous markets. This is a good sign, and from now on we shall expect to see the consumers having a large range of produce to choose from, with the result that the market will strengthen week by week, so that in the near future we shall be able to write it up as a complete success.

### The Excitement in Oil

The rush for oil leases has not abated in the least. The staff at the Dominion Lands office are working both day and night and cannot keep up with the work. Enough tickets have already been handed out to applicants for leases to keep the staff going until Friday night, and new applicants are arriving by every train. During last week about \$40,000 was taken for leases in the Red Deer office. The principal filings have been west of Innisfail on to west of Rocky Mountain House, but this week there is a rush on lands around Stettler, Castor and Alis.

A second oil company has been formed in Red Deer, and has made application for incorporation under the Companies' Ordinance of the North West Territories. This company has a very strong personnel, consisting of J. Grant MacGregor as president, managing director and consulting engineer, D. S. Smith, 1st vice-president, M. J. MacDonald, 2nd vice, and Jean Depalme, secretary-treasurer. The directors also include S. I. Smith, P. Buisseret, R. W. MacDonald, Calgary, and G. Balu, Sylvan Lake. The capital stock is fixed at \$250,000 at \$1.00 par value. The company have an announcement in this week's issue, and are being registered under the title of the Central Alberta Oil Limited.

### RED DEER OIL AND GAS CO., LTD.

Last week we intimated in our columns that a local oil and gas company would, in the course of a few days, be formed, and the shares placed before the public. The company which has been formed has at its head a well known and reputable citizen in the person of Mr. Fred Krause, who has lived in this district about 20 years.

Mr. Krause, it might be said, has had this oil question on his mind for a number of years, having seen the indications of oil in large quantities, and publicly expressed the opinion that it would be wise to take the matter up. He, however, did not meet with much support, although last fall a little excitement was caused when he filed upon certain sections of land, and had a test rig applied in which he placed a substance from where he claims the oil is, and which gave a steady gas flame for hours at a time and was on view nightly. The matter, however, appeared to die down until the Dingmans started the province with their strike of oil. Mr. Krause at once got busy and renewed his leases on several sections of land, and was not long in completing the formation of his company and getting the same registered.

The directors, Messrs. Fred Krause, T. A. Gaetz, Alban Smith, B. F. Krause, E. J. Cass, H. J. Snell and P. L. Lund, are all well known, highly respected citizens, full of enthusiasm, and deserve every credit for taking up this question, and the whole-hearted support of the citizens. The success of this or any other local company is of vital importance to the city and will have a far-reaching effect. Think what it means if we get oil or gas. Thousands of people in this district will be investing in oil shares, there is no avoiding it, and as far as we can judge one company or location is as good as another. It is, therefore, only right that the public who intend to invest should support the local companies, and show their faith in their own district. The shares are being offered at \$1.00 each and \$25,000 has to be raised in thirty days to enable the directors to commence business; and what is of vital importance to the public is the fact that no director is able to sell share until oil has been found in commercial quantities. This should show to the public that the directors have unbounded faith in the success of their object, and have nothing whatever to gain unless the oil is found.

John Quigg, barrister, is the company's solicitor, Allan R. Smith secretary, and A. W. G. Allen, auditor.

### C.P.R. Time Table

(Changed June 1st)  
Northbound—Week Days—  
Arrive 3.15 a.m. Depart 3.25 a.m.  
Arrive 11.50 a.m. Depart 12 (noon)  
Arrive 6.00 p.m. Depart 6.10 p.m.  
Southbound—  
Arrive 3.25 a.m. Depart 3.35 a.m.  
Arrive 11.00 a.m. Depart 11.10 a.m.  
Arrive 6.10 p.m. Depart 6.20 p.m.  
Northbound—Sundays—  
Arrive 3.15 a.m. Depart 3.25 a.m.  
Arrive 6.00 p.m. Depart 6.10 p.m.  
Southbound—  
Arrive 3.25 a.m. Depart 3.35 a.m.  
Arrive 11.00 a.m. Depart 11.10 a.m.  
8.30.

### DREADFUL MARINE DISASTER

#### 964 Drown When Liner Sinks

Rimouski, Que., May 29.—There are 964 lost or missing souls who waved farewell to land at Quebec yesterday afternoon and sailed out toward sea in a staunch ship that sank to the bottom of the St. Lawrence life a plummet when a heavy coal ship smashed the liner amidships during a dense fog last night.

#### ESTIMATES VARY.

Rimouski, May 29.—The twin screw Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Ireland, carrying 1,437 persons, passengers and crew, sank in the darkness before dawn today in the St. Lawrence river near here, with a loss of perhaps 1,000 lives. Early estimates of the dead varied from 978 to more than 1,100.

#### CUT WIDE OPEN.

The vessel was bound from Quebec for Liverpool, with 77 first, 206 second and 506 third class passengers. It was cut wide open by the collier S'torvald and sank within twenty minutes in nineteen fathoms of water.

Of those saved the majority appeared to be members of the crew or from the sicerage. Many were badly injured and twenty-two died after being picked up.

#### CRASH IN DARK.

The crash occurred about 2 o'clock off Father Point, a village brought into prominence when Dr. Crippen, the London murderer, was caught. The collier, bound for Quebec, struck the Empress of Ireland on the port side about the middle of the ship. She literally tore her way back almost to the liner's screws, leaving a rent through which the water poured in such a deluge that she sank before many of the passengers were aware of what had happened.

#### S.O.S. SENT OUT.

Brief calls for help sent out by the Marconi operator were heard by the pilot boat Eureka here, ten miles from the scene, and the Eureka, followed by the Lady Evelyn, a mail tender, put on full steam and all speed for the spot.

#### NO TIME TO GET CLOTHES.

So quickly did the Empress sink that those passengers fortunate enough to get into lifeboats found themselves clothed only in their night clothes. No baggage was saved.

The condition of the survivors was pitiable. Some had broken arms and legs and all had suffered terribly. L. E. Gossett, a prominent lawyer from Montreal, saved himself by clinging to a raft. When the rescue ships docked here, the station platform was converted into a hospital and the townspeople, bringing food and clothing, united to aid the sufferers. Twelve bodies with faces covered lay side by side on the wharf. There were passengers who had made the lifeboats, but who were fatally hurt.

### The Late Mrs.

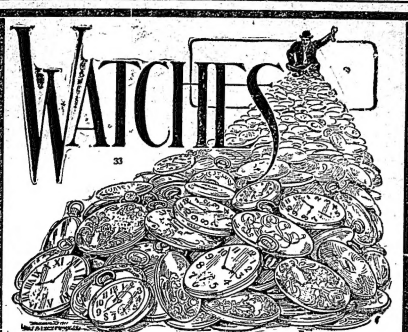
H. L. Cunningham

The Vegreville Observer, in speaking of the death of Mrs. Cunningham, says: "The death occurred on Tuesday evening at 8.30 of Mrs. H. L. Cunningham after an illness extending over about four weeks. Septic poisoning, complicated with pneumonia, was the cause of her untimely demise. All that medical attention could do and the ministrations of skillful training were unavailing to ward off the dread result."

Mrs. Cunningham, as Miss Carwell was a school teacher, who successfully held a position in one of the district schools for a number of years. On April 25th, 1910, she was united in marriage to Mr. Cunningham, and the union was one of those singularly happy ones which dignify and almost daily domestic life. Devoted to her husband and his interests, and of modest and unassuming disposition, she won the hearts of a numerous circle of friends. In addition to her sorrowful husband, she leaves a baby of four weeks to mourn the loss of a mother whose tender care can never be realized. The funeral on Thursday, the 28th May, was largely attended, and a solemn taking place in the Vegreville cemetery, beside her first baby, in the family plot."

### July 1st Sports

Watch the July 1st sports committee. They are out for business. Arrangements are being made for the best in the city's history. The football and basketball will be better than ever, and the fireworks—well, the like has never been seen before in Central Alberta. Bicycle races and a road race will be a feature this year. The subscription committee, through a misunderstanding, did not get round last week, but they will call on you, and it is to be hoped the so-called select will greet them. The committee are requested to attend an important meeting in Board of Trade rooms tonight at 8.30.



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# Warning to the Public

During the last few days receipts have been given out by persons not authorized by us.

We cannot be responsible, and would ask the investing public to see that our agent has a selling contract, signed and bearing the official seal of the Company, before paying over money.

(Signed)

HURON & BRUCE INVESTMENT CO.

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M 3166 Accounting Department

711 Centre St., Calgary, Alta.

## Victoria Day Celebration at Blackfalds

This year Blackfalds celebrated Victoria Day with their annual sports day, the main events being the baseball and football contests. Lacombe, Clive and Bentley were in the football, Lacombe winning out. Clive and Lacombe played in the first game, Bentley drawing the bye. Lacombe defeated Clive by 4 goals to nil, the former playing a good game. They also won the final game, defeating Bentley by 2 goals to nil.

Lacombe, Rainy Creek and Clive were entered in the baseball. Lacombe and Rainy Creek played the first game, the former winning easily by 7-0 in a five-inning game. The winner then played Clive, and after a full limit game, Clive won by 3-2. The last game was a very good exhibition.

Red Deer were invited to send a football team, but on account of their being a game on here in the evening, they did not go up.

## Canal Locks Withstand Quake Without Injury

Panama, May 28.—A severe earthquake shock was felt here about 10:15 o'clock Wednesday night. The disturbance lasted nearly half a minute. Reports from Gatun, Milaforce and Pedro Miguel indicated that no damage had been done to the locks there.

The seismograph record indicated that the point of origin was within one hundred miles to the southwest, the motion being from southwest to northeast and very intense. The quake caused much excitement along the canal as the shock was of longer duration than in October.

## Summer Skin Troubles

Sunburn, blistering, and irritation are the commonest form of summer skin troubles, and Zambuk ends these very quickly. It works in two ways. As soon as applied, its anti-septic powers get to work and kill all the poison in a wound, a sting or a sore. This generally ends the smarting and the pain. Then Zambuk begins the healing process, and fresh healthy tissue is built up. For sore, blistered feet, sore hands, heat rashes, baby's heat spots, sore places due to perspiration, etc., you can't equal Zambuk. It also cures cuts, ulcers, chapped piles, and all inflamed and diseased conditions of skin and subcutaneous tissue. Druggists and stores everywhere sell Zambuk, 50c box. Use Zambuk Soap also, 25c per tablet. All stores, or Zambuk Co., Toronto.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3rd, 1914.

**A SALOON LICENSE.**

When the License Commissioners met in Red Deer, Friday, to deal with the license of the Alberta Hotel, they concluded to grant the license, with the understanding that the upper flat of the old building should not be used for accommodation of the public, but be closed up.

With this portion of the hotel closed, the building does not comply with the requirements of the law for a license.

It is necessary to have a certain number of rooms in any hotel before a license is granted.

The granting of this license is, therefore, contrary to law.

It is more, it is an injustice to the other hotelmen of the city in that they are compelled to comply with the law.

The company that controls the Alberta Hotel, said to be the Calgary Brewing Company, are therefore practically given a saloon license, something, as we have said, contrary to law in Alberta.

This, we contend, is an insult to the law abiding and temperate people of Red Deer.

If the law of the province can thus be ignored by the license commissioners, then the sooner the people know it the better.

The portion of the hotel closed up has been condemned by the building inspector, and also by outside experts, and the City Council declined to take any responsibility in granting the license.

The license commissioners therefore took the bull by the horns, threw policy and discretion to the four

winds of heaven and granted a license to the hotel.

The province is undoubtedly feeling the grasp of the big brewery interests and the whiskey trusts that have given so lavishly to political campaign funds until now the government, through their commissioners, are compelled to grant concessions that would not have been thought possible a short time ago.

But the apparent strength of the liquor interests is their greatest weakness, as those fair-minded citizens who have heretofore given them a fair share of support will be compelled to withdraw that support on becoming convinced that such Tammany Hall methods exist in Alberta, and they will throw in their lot with the temperance people, who will sweep the province the first time they are given a chance to appeal to the electors.

**MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA.**

The annual statement of the Merchants Bank of Canada for the year ending April 30, 1914, which is now being published in the different newspapers, shows the excellent financial condition in which this institution is being maintained.

As the close of the financial year of the Merchants Bank was changed, in 1912, from November 30th to April 30th, 1913, the last statement issued, previous to the present one only covered a period of five months, consequently it is impossible to make a comparison between the yearly statement just published and the previous one covering only five months.

A reference to the annual statement ending April 30th, 1914, shows net profits, outside of premium on new stock and balance brought forward from April 30, 1913, of \$1,218,694.45, which sum equals 9.13 per cent. on shareholders' funds (average capital \$6,868,500, average reserve fund \$6,479,600.)

During the year just ended, the sums of \$400,000 and \$189,825.00 respectively were transferred from profit and loss, and premium on new stock, to reserve fund.

The Officers' Pension Fund was augmented to the extent of \$50,000, and amounts of \$100,000 and \$135,000 respectively were written off Bank premises account and deprec-

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ation in bonds and investments, leaving a balance to be carried forward of \$248,134.67.

The reserve fund of the Bank now reaches the large sum of \$7,000,000, made up as follows: Balance, April 30, 1913, \$6,419,175, transferred from profit and loss account \$489,000, and premium on new stock \$189,825.

The average paid-up capital for the year ending April 30, 1914, is \$6,868,500.

**Course for Cadet Instructors**

Arrangements are being made for a course of instruction at Calgary for school teachers who desire to qualify as cadet instructors. The course will begin about July 1st and will occupy about six weeks. The number of applicants accepted will be limited to fifty male teachers.

Transportation to and from Calgary will be provided for all accepted candidates, and during the course an allowance of \$1.00 per day in addition to \$1.00 per day for subsistence will be made by the Department of Militia and Defence.

Teachers who have not already taken the course, and who desire to do so, should make application at once to the District Officer Commanding, Military District No. 13, Calgary, Alberta.

**Report Discovery of Asphalt Bed Near Millet**

The discovery of a large bed of asphalt north-west of Wetaskiwin was reported Thursday morning by M. R. Sterns, of Edmonton, who has filed oil, gas and mineral claims on two sections of land in that district. The exact location of the bed is N. W. quarter 4-27, west of the 4th, or about sixteen miles west of Millet, close to a small lake.

The discovery of the presence of asphalt was made by a farmer in the district, who, while plowing, turned up a small quantity. He did not know what it was, but one day

when Mr. Sterns was on the farm, he saw it. The sun had been strong and had melted the asphalt, making it run like tar. He immediately filed oil and mineral claims on it.

Investigations made shows, it is said, that the bed extends over several sections at least, and possibly much more. It varies in thickness from a few feet to as much as fifty feet in thickness. Analysis Thursday according to Mr. Sterns, shows that the asphalt contains a large percentage of oil. Indications are present that oil will be produced when a well is sunk.

**JUDICIAL SALE**

Pursuant to the final order for sale, there will be offered for sale by G. N. Welsh, Auctioneer, at the office of the Deputy Sheriff in the City of Red Deer, Alberta, at 3 p.m., on the 24th day of June, 1914,

The S.E. quarter of section 22, and the S. half of section 23 in Township 38, Range 1, West of 5th Meridian, containing 471.30 acres more or less, subject to the conditions and reservations in the grants from the Crown, or in the existing certificates of title and excepting thereout the right of way of the A.C.R. right of way.

The property is about 4 miles from Sylvan Lake and about 15 miles from Red Deer, and is convenient to school and churches.

There is erected on the S.E. quarter of 22, a log dwelling 22x14, with addition 12x14 with shingle roof. There are also about 10 acres in timothy hay land and 10 acres in breaking. Of the entire quarter 100 acres may be classed as good arable land, 10 acres as pasture land, and 50 acres of scrub and small wood.

The quarter is enclosed with wire fencing in good condition of repair.

On the S. half of 23 there is erected a frame granary 18x22 with shingle roof, and a log barn 24x70 with shingle roof. There are 50 acres of timothy hay land and 50 acres of breaking. Of the entire fractional half section 300 acres may be classed as good arable land and about 10 acres of pasture land.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserved bid. Terms of payment Ten per cent. to the solicitor for the plaintiff at the time of sale and the balance to be paid into Court within sixty days without interest. The sale is subject to who standing conditions of the Court as approved by a Judge. Further particulars may be had from W. E. Payne, Esquire, solicitor for the plaintiff.

Dated at Red Deer, Alberta, this 1st day of June, 1914.

F. S. SIMPSON,  
Deputy Clerk of the Court.  
June 3, 3w.

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Now applying for incorporation under the Companies Ordinance of the North West Territories,

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being the par value of 250,000 shares of \$1.00. The following officers compose the Board of Management:

**PRESIDENT**

J. Grant MacGregor, Esq., Managing Director and Consulting Engineer, Red Deer, Alta.

**1st. VICE PRESIDENT**

Donald S. Smith, Rancher and Broker, Red Deer, Alta.

**2nd. VICE PRESIDENT**

Murdock J. MacDonald, Rancher Red Deer, Alta.

**SECRETARY-TREASURER**

Jean Depalme, Manager of the Omnium foncier lyonnais du Canada, Red Deer, Alta.

**DIRECTORS**

S. I. SMITH, Broker - Red Deer, Alta.  
R. W. MACDONALD, Contractor, Calgary, Alta.

P. BUISSERET, Gentleman - Red Deer, Alta.  
G. BALLU, Capitalist - Sylvan Lake, Alta.

The proposed Company begs to announce to the public that its aim and object will be to protect the public interests of Red Deer and district from speculation by outside companies who are not interested in the benefit to the City and district of local developments. The prospectus will show that the business of the Company will be conducted on a sound financial basis whereby the public interests will be protected.



# THE RED DEER OIL & GAS COMPANY, LIMITED

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Beg to announce that arrangements are being made to have a noted Geologist make a report on the most suitable location for the Well site on the lease held by the Company.

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# The Horticultural Society

## PERENNIAL FLOWERS

As a rule Perennials are more suitable for general planting than Annuals, as they bloom much earlier, and do not require to be planted every year. They should be mulched heavily over winter. The following list, arranged in order of flowering, is hardly in Alberta.

NAME	HEIGHT	COLOR	FLOWERING
Panicles and Violets	6 inches	All colors	April-Nov.
Iceland Poppy	12-18 inches	Yellow, White, Orange	May-Sept.
German Iris	18 inches	Mixed colors	May-June
Bleeding Heart	18 inches	Pink and White	June-July
Olive Pinks	12-24 inches	Pink and White	June-Sept.
Paeonies	18-24 inches	Red, Pink, White	June-July
Oriental Poppies	18-24 inches	Dark Red	June-July
Columbine (Aquilegia)	18-24 inches	Blue, White, Yellow	June-July
Sweet William	18-24 inches	Mixed Colors	June-July
Alyssum (Golden)	3-12 inches	Yellow	June-Aug.
Saxifrage	12 inches	White	June-Aug.
Perennial Candytuft	12 inches	White	June-Aug.
Campanula	18-24 inches	Blue, White, Pink	July
Larkspur (Delphinium)	12-18 inches	Blue or White	July-Sept.
Chinese	2-4 feet	Shades of Blue	July-Sept.
Tiger Lily	3-4 feet	Yellow and Orange	Aug.-Sept.
Gaillardia	18-24 inches	Bronze Yellow	Aug.-Sept.
Antennaria Tinctoria	18-24 inches	Bright Yellow	Aug.-Sept.
Perennial Aster	2-3 feet	Mauve	Aug.-Sept.
(Michaelmas Daisy)	2-3 feet	Red, Pink, White	Aug.-Sept.
Phlox	2-3 feet	Yellow	Sept.-Oct.
Golden Glow	3-5 feet	Yellow	Sept.-Oct.

## Importance of the Removal of Male Birds After The Breeding Season

(By W. A. Brown and J. H. Hare.)

Eggs which have been fertilized constitute the greatest proportion of the interior stock which, when examined, proves unfit for food. It is not necessary that these shall have remained for a time under a broody hen, a temperature of seventy degrees being, in itself, sufficient to cause the germ to commence to grow. If the heat is constant the development of the chick will continue, but if it ceases or is intermittent, putrefaction at once sets in and the egg becomes bad. On the other hand infertile eggs which are free from the active germ cell, do not, under ordinary conditions, deteriorate seriously.

Few farmers seem to realize these facts, and consequently very few make any effort to insure infertility. The impression prevails among many that the presence of the male bird in the flock is essential to the production of a maximum number of eggs. This assumption has been proven, time and time again, to be absolutely without foundation.

Farmers and others selling eggs for market are recommended to kill off or dispose of the male birds after the breeding season. As a result of their remaining with the flock after June 1st, Canadian farmers lose each year at least a million dollars, through the presence of partially incubated eggs in the produce which is marketed. The fact that the best trade in many cities in Canada now offers the premium of from one to five cents per dozen, for non-fertilized eggs, suggests an additional financial consideration which but few can afford to overlook.

## Nordegg Notes

Everything is going full swing now, turning out 600 tons of coal daily. The C.N.R. will soon have to put on a second train to handle the coal. The first fifty cottages are finished, and are occupied as soon as finished. Baird & McKenzie are starting the new cottages and official residences. They will also rush the new hospital. The temporary hospital is all fitted up. Mrs. Wallace, trained nurse of Calgary, is in charge. New families are moving in every day.

The Roberts and Schaefer Co., under Superintendent McLean, of Chicago, are working full force, and the new plant will soon be erected. Mr. Fred Fisher returned from Mountain House with his family. Mr. Shanks returned from a business trip to Red Deer.

P. Greenwood, assistant engineer, has gone to Edmonton for the week end. The fishing season is on now, and the boys are all getting homesick. The R.N.W.M.P. are doing a good business selling them; more paper than fish so far.

A great many of the men who worked for Mr. Shanks and Mr. Stewart in Fernie are coming here to work. Const. Allen, of Mountain House, spent three or four days in Nordegg. Mr. Miller, of Calgary, chief supervisor of Forest Reserve, is in town getting ready to go up to Big Horn Mountain to open up new trails to hunt. We expect quite a number of tourists in from Banff this season.

Mr. Lum, Dom. Land Surveyor of Interior Dept., Ottawa, is getting up a party to leave Monday for the summer in Big Horn Country. Mr. Fleming, photographer of Red Deer, is in taking photos of the mine and townsite. The snap shot of the mine officials is expected to be something extra. We are anxiously waiting to see the picture of our handsome bachelors.

## Sport Notes

The Calgary News-Telegram, reporting the Callie C. Hillhurst football match, says the game was far too rough all through, and culminated about five minutes from the finish in Fish of the Hillhurst team being struck by Adamson, of Callies, over the eye and rendered unconscious for a considerable time. It describes the affair as one of the most despicable that ever occurred on the Calgary football field, owing to Adamson being a strong, husky man and Fish only small. Adamson was sent off the field by the referee, and no doubt will be dealt severely with by the league officials. Such men are better out of the game altogether.

Wm. C. Townsend, 23 years old, working as a cable operator in North Sydney, N. S. W., paid \$2.00 for a ticket in a pool and drew Durbin II, who won the English Derby, thereby netting him \$20,000.

Red Deer should have some enjoyable games of baseball now the Central Alberta Baseball League has been formed.

## CENTRAL ALBERTA BASEBALL LEAGUE

Following is the schedule of the Central Alberta Baseball League, formed at Olds on May 25th. This will be duplicated at the end of the present series, providing it works out all right.

June 2-Red Deer at Olds.  
June 5-Olds at Bowden.  
June 5-Didsbury at Red Deer.  
June 6-Olds at Bowden.  
June 9-Red Deer at Innisfail.  
June 9-Bowden at Didsbury.  
June 12-Olds at Red Deer.  
June 12-Didsbury at Olds.  
June 12-Bowden at Innisfail.  
June 16-Red Deer at Didsbury.  
June 19-Innisfail at Bowden.  
June 19-Didsbury at Olds.  
June 23-Red Deer at Bowden.  
June 23-Innisfail at Olds.  
June 26-Innisfail at Red Deer.  
June 26-Olds at Didsbury.  
July 1-Bowden at Red Deer.  
July 1-Olds at Innisfail.  
July 3-Didsbury at Innisfail.  
July 3-Bowden at Olds.

10,000 people saw Zbyszko defeat Raoul De Rouen for the heavy-weight wrestling championship of the world on May 29th.

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CORN MEAL	10 lbs. 45c; 24 lbs. 1.00		
24 lbs. 95c; 48 lbs. \$1.35			
WHEATLETS	5 lbs. 30c		
24 lbs. \$1.00; 48 lbs. \$1.90			
ROLLED WHEAT	5 lbs. 40c		
ROLLED OATS	5 lbs. 30c		
20 lbs. 75c; 40 lbs. \$1.40			
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PURPO PANCAKE	per packet 20c		
SUGAR			
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LUMP, and ICING, each per lb. 9c			
EVAPORATED FRUITS			
PRUNES 80-90 lb. 11c; 25 lbs. \$2.65			
FIGS, pulled 10 lbs. 12c; 25 lbs. \$3.40			
60-70 lb. 17c; 25 lbs. \$4.00			
APPLES, evaporated 25 lbs. \$4.40			
25 lbs. \$3.40; 50 lbs. \$6.60			
Sun dried quarters lb. 13c			
PEACHES 10 lbs. 12c; 25 lbs. \$3.00			
PEARS 10 lbs. 17c; 25 lbs. \$4.25			
APRICOTS 10 lbs. 22c; 25 lbs. \$5.50			
FIGS, cooking 10 lbs. 8c; 25 lbs. \$2.00			
FIGS, table 15c; 25 lbs. \$2.50			
FIGS, pulled 10 lbs. 12c; 25 lbs. \$3.40			
FIGS, table 10c; 25 lbs. \$2.50			
RAISINS, Valencia, 10 lbs. 12c; 25 lbs. \$3.40			
25 lb. box 10c; 50 lbs. \$6.60			
RAISINS, layer, per lb. 15c to 40c			
RAISINS, 12 oz. packages 10c			
RAISINS, 16 oz. packages 14c			
RAISINS, 20 oz. packages 10c			
CURRENTS, per lb. 15c			
CURRENTS, per lb. 15c			
SULTANAS, per lb. 15c			
CEREALS			
TAPIOCA 10 lbs. 8c			
SAGO 10 lbs. 8c			
PEARL BARLEY 10 lbs. 7c			
POT BARLEY 10 lbs. 7c			
BEANS, Lima 10 lbs. 9c			
BEANS, hand picked 10 lbs. 7c			
BEANS, Bayo, 10 lbs. 10c			
PUFFED WHEAT 10 lbs. 10c			
MALTA VITA 10 lbs. 8c			
CORN FLAKES, Kinkles 8c			
CORN FLAKES, Kellogg's 10c			
PURIFIED RICE 10 lbs. 15c			
CUMED OF WHEAT 23c			
FORCE 15c			
SHREDDED WHEAT 15c			
GRAPE NUT 15c			
LARD			
JEWEL 3 lb. 45c; 10 lb. \$1.35			
SILVER LEAF 3 lb. 55c; 5 lb. 90c			
CRISCO 10 lb. 15c; 25 lb. 25c			
CHOCOLATE			
COWAN'S and BAKER'S 1 lb. 25c			
LOWNEY'S 1 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 25c			
COCOA			
EPF'S 1 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 30c; 1 lb. 60c			
BAKER'S 1 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 30c; 1 lb. 60c			
LOWNEY'S 1 lb. 14c; 1 lb. 25c; 1 lb. 50c			
COWAN'S 1 lb. 15c; 1 lb. 30c; 1 lb. 60c			
VanHOUTEN'S 1 lb. 35c; 1 lb. 65c			
COWAN'S FINEST bulk, 1 lb. 35c			
HEINZ PREPARATIONS			
TOMATO CATSUP, per lb. 30c			
TOMATO SOUP 10 lbs. 15c			
SAUER KRAUT 10 lbs. 20c			
PORK and BEANS, small tin 15c			
PORK and BEANS, medium tin 25c			
CHILI SAUCE 10 lbs. 30c			
INDIA RELISH 10 lbs. 35c			
MUSTARD DRESSING, bottle 25c			
HORSE RADISH 10 lbs. 25c			
COFFEE			
PINE ROASTED, bulk 35c and 50c			
RIDGEWAY'S Sealed 1 lb. p'ts 40c			
CHASE & SANBORN'S 1 lb. 45c			
2 lbs. 85c			
TUXEDO 1 lb. 45c			
DR. SARGENT'S Instant 1 lb. 45c			
BARRINGTON HALL 1 lb. 50c			
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POSTUM, regular, 10 lbs. 25c			
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POSTUM, Instant, large tin 50c			
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Raspberry, Black Currant, Cherries Strawberry, Apricot, 5 lb. tin 90c			
JAMS, COMPOUND			
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MOST HAPPY SIGNS  
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Increasing Interest in the Man on the Land and the Progress of Agriculture

The growing interest of all classes of people in the welfare of the man on the land, and the increasing desire for the progress of agriculture, are undoubtedly among the most hopeful of the signs of the present time in western Canada. The cry from agricultural Macedonia is being heeded, and most striking is the assistance which is being rendered and which has been promised by those interests composing the Boards of Trade of the cities and towns. Not long ago, when the fever of expansion was at its height in these urban communities, thousands of dollars and volumes of energy were expended in a vain endeavor to acquire industries. Stimulated by a craze for profits in real estate, the general demand was for factories and an increased pay roll, and some municipalities got the factories without the increased pay roll. It has taken just a little longer than one year to establish a new commercial point of view in nearly every city and town in the west. In one striking city in Saskatchewan, which is situated in the very heart of a grain area of 3,000 square miles, the clamor for industries has given way to the slogan, "a man for every farm in the surrounding district." The President of the Edmonton Board of Trade, delivering his annual address recently, emphasized the same idea, encouraging development in the rural districts. These were his words in referring to the question of further manufacturing in this city: "I would first like to see those ninety-five factories and industrial enterprises we already have operating to full capacity and increasing their capacity. To double the output of existing factories is preferable to doubling the number of industries. I feel that work designed to promote agricultural development in our tributary territory should be vigorously continued, and the attention of outside agriculturists drawn in every possible way to the fact that between the Red Deer and the Athabasca Rivers lies probably the best milked farming country on this continent. At present it is estimated that less than five per cent. of the good available land in the rich territory referred to is in use. To increase the production of the surrounding land is the surest way to increase the output of Edmonton factories."—Norman Lambert in The Globe.

Douglas Fir

Douglas fir is the chief timber species in British Columbia, and is third in importance in Canada, deriving its name from David Douglas, who discovered it in 1827 and introduced it into the gardens of Europe. Its adaptability and rapid rate of growth led to its being largely planted as a forest tree in Germany, France, Denmark and England, and the Indians in British Columbia sell immense quantities of seeds to European dealers every year. A Danish plantation at the age of 29 years produced 87 cords of wood, equal to an annual production of three cords per acre, which is about three times the growth-rate of white pine on average soil in Canada. The wood of Douglas fir is also considerably stronger than white pine, and is valued highly for construction purposes because of its size, strength and comparative lightness.

## PROTECT THE FORESTS

An Economic as Well as Moral Sin to Destroy Them

"The question of the protection of our forests from fire is first of all a question of morals, to burn useful material without any reason for burning is immoral," said Dr. Fernow, Dean of Forestry at the University of Toronto, in dealing with the problem of the suppression or the prevention of forest fires. He said the importance of it would be admitted when it was realized that there are at present over 600,000 acres of potentially marketable timber without any fire protection whatever. Also the Government had lost in potential value \$541,500, and this did not include the value of such timber to the community in preparing it for the market. "The one Province which now stands ahead of all others is British Columbia. They have taken the matter in hand seriously and efficiently," said Dr. Fernow. "Ontario, although the Government spends a large amount of money on forest reserves, protects very little." The reservations in Ontario are merely sections of the country that have been withdrawn from use as farm land. The thought of protecting them from fire has not yet occurred to the Government. The same might be said in regard to the profitable utilization of these forest reserves." Dr. Fernow pointed to the example of the United States, where they are making attempts to deal with the problem of the timber supply of the future.

"It is not wood of any description that we are interested in," said he, "but wood of a kind that has a commercial value. Timber is what we are interested in." Dr. Fernow went on to say that there were six hundred millions of acres of timber now standing in the United States, five times as much as in Canada, yet the United States wanted to get Canada's timber, the reason being that they desire to conserve for the future.

"The method of detecting fires in these forest regions is by means of watch towers and a system of telephones and trails, so that a fire may be checked at its commencement. Most fires are started by sparks from railway engines, the use of oil instead of coal has been recommended by the Commissioners."

PRODUCERS RATHER  
THAN MIDDLEMEN

W. H. Cushing of Calgary, Alberta, Speaks of the Need of Settlers on the Land

Mr. W. H. Cushing, in referring to Alberta as the land of opportunity, says: "There is no country like it for the young man providing he is sensible and does not insist on getting rich quick. Think of it! 100,000,000 acres of the finest agricultural land in the world, and only 2,000,000 acres of it under cultivation! Too many are going to the cities and too few back to the land. We want producers more than middlemen in the West. Industry and patience are all that is necessary to the ambitious at least a comfortable competence in Alberta. Mr. Cushing does not see any danger ahead because of exhaustive wheat growing. Optimist that he is, he says that it is questionable whether the sponge-like soil of the prairies could be robbed of its virtue and matter how many crops were taken from it. Certainly it would not deteriorate if given proper care and a rest occasionally. Even admitting that the wheat growers were taxing their land in the effort to grow wealthy quickly, the danger added away when it was remembered that but little over 2 per cent. of the agricultural land had yet been ploughed. "Alberta," concludes Mr. Cushing, "stands on immense beds of coal, deposits of gas, oil, etc. In fact, there are large tracts of practically pure salt and other valuable minerals abroad. All this is in addition to her agriculture. Who can predict what lies in front of such a storehouse of natural wealth? As I said before, I am firmly convinced that for the young man, Alberta is the land of opportunity."

ORNAMENTAL STONES  
AND CANADIAN BUILDING

Stone-cutters' Union Anxious to Have Work Done in Canada—Serious Competition From American Stone

The Toronto Stone Cutters' Union have issued a very attractive and interesting booklet dealing with the subject of "Building Stones—both Canadian and Imported." The book is sent to organized labor, and particularly to the Stone Cutters' Union who edited it. It not only contains a general description of the various stones that are used in Canada, but also a chemical analysis of the different varieties, and it is well illustrated with splendid photographs of typical buildings containing the different stones described.

Canadian Sandstones  
 Dealing with the subject of Canadian Sand Stones, the Stone Cutters state their views as follows:

In presenting for your consideration the Sandstones of Ontario and the Maritime Provinces, with the chemical analysis of same, we may be pardoned for making a few observations upon our outlook as Canadian citizens.

Experience has taught us that it is a wise policy to stand for the development of home industries; and believing that this is the only safe course to pursue in protecting the home work or against the invasion of foreign products, "which factor is playing such havoc in our craft at the present time, owing to the remarkable development of machinery, and the manner in which artificial methods facilitate the production of wealth.

The evil resulting from this is easily discerned in the number of skilled mechanics either temporarily employed or totally unemployed. We clearly foresee the foolishness of endeavoring to prohibit mechanical means of production, "but we are of opinion that a condition could be made operative which would result in a minimum of suffering, to those dependent upon the industry for a living, namely: (1) That as far as possible all work should be executed in the locality for which the construction is intended. (2) And secondly, that preference should be given to home products as far as the supply is possible.

Between Two Evils  
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PRODUCERS RATHER  
THAN MIDDLEMEN

W. H. Cushing of Calgary, Alberta, Speaks of the Need of Settlers on the Land

Mr. W. H. Cushing, in referring to Alberta as the land of opportunity, says: "There is no country like it for the young man providing he is sensible and does not insist on getting rich quick. Think of it! 100,000,000 acres of the finest agricultural land in the world, and only 2,000,000 acres of it under cultivation! Too many are going to the cities and too few back to the land. We want producers more than middlemen in the West. Industry and patience are all that is necessary to the ambitious at least a comfortable competence in Alberta. Mr. Cushing does not see any danger ahead because of exhaustive wheat growing. Optimist that he is, he says that it is questionable whether the sponge-like soil of the prairies could be robbed of its virtue and matter how many crops were taken from it. Certainly it would not deteriorate if given proper care and a rest occasionally. Even admitting that the wheat growers were taxing their land in the effort to grow wealthy quickly, the danger added away when it was remembered that but little over 2 per cent. of the agricultural land had yet been ploughed. "Alberta," concludes Mr. Cushing, "stands on immense beds of coal, deposits of gas, oil, etc. In fact, there are large tracts of practically pure salt and other valuable minerals abroad. All this is in addition to her agriculture. Who can predict what lies in front of such a storehouse of natural wealth? As I said before, I am firmly convinced that for the young man, Alberta is the land of opportunity."

ORNAMENTAL STONES  
AND CANADIAN BUILDING

Stone-cutters' Union Anxious to Have Work Done in Canada—Serious Competition From American Stone

The Toronto Stone Cutters' Union have issued a very attractive and interesting booklet dealing with the subject of "Building Stones—both Canadian and Imported." The book is sent to organized labor, and particularly to the Stone Cutters' Union who edited it. It not only contains a general description of the various stones that are used in Canada, but also a chemical analysis of the different varieties, and it is well illustrated with splendid photographs of typical buildings containing the different stones described.

Canadian Sandstones  
 Dealing with the subject of Canadian Sand Stones, the Stone Cutters state their views as follows:

In presenting for your consideration the Sandstones of Ontario and the Maritime Provinces, with the chemical analysis of same, we may be pardoned for making a few observations upon our outlook as Canadian citizens.

Experience has taught us that it is a wise policy to stand for the development of home industries; and believing that this is the only safe course to pursue in protecting the home work or against the invasion of foreign products, "which factor is playing such havoc in our craft at the present time, owing to the remarkable development of machinery, and the manner in which artificial methods facilitate the production of wealth.

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STRAYED FROM HILLSBOROUGH

Sorrel gelding, with halter, and shoes on front. Mane clipped on forehead. A small white spot between eyes. Finder please inform News Office. May 20, 14.

COLTS STRAYED.

From the premises of D. S. Urquhart, N.E. 25, T. 38, R. 27, Balmor district, about April 28th, one bay colt, two years old, white stripe on face, one hind foot white, and black mane and tail; and one dark brown colt, coming one year, two white hind feet and white stripe on face. A reward will be given for information leading to their recovery.—Red Deer P.O. or Phone R. 5. 59 May 20, 14.

"LOST"

From Mr. E. H. Jones' quarter-section, 4 miles S.W. of Sylvan Lake, Thursday night, one bay horse, 9 years old, with wire cut on right front foot, and it also had a halter on when seen last. Would send finally notify J. G. White, Sylvan Lake, or the London Cooks' Implement Co., Red Deer. Sylvan Lake, April 29.

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